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Dear Sir:

Responsive to the communication mailed October 7, 2003, please enter the following amendment and remarks in the file of the above referenced patent application.